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Robert F. Sawyer, Ph.D., Chairman
California Air Resources Board
1001 I Street, 23rd Floor
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Dear Chair Sawyer:

I agree with many of the Eureka Chamber's concerns. Our county has 1,200 miles of roads with a significant maintenance deficit. The state's diversion of tax dollars most certainly added to our road problems.

Your actions to require engine upgrades at this time will further delay or eliminate road maintenance in our county. We will require a much longer time period to phase in this very costly mandate. I thank you in advance for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Jimmy Smith
First District Supervisor

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